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Responsive to the Examiner's requirement in the Notice of Allowability attached to the Notice of Allowance, submitted herewith is a corrected sheet of formal drawing for Fig. 5, which includes the corrections submitted on January 16, 2004, which have been approved by the Examiner. It is respectfully requested that the corrected sheet of formal drawing for Fig. 5 be approved and entered in full compliance with all outstanding Patent Office drawing requirements.

Respectfully submitted,

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One (1) sheet corrected formal drawing

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